

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 83729
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Zhi-Jie Ni, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 9706
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Application No.: 10/576,045	:	Tech Center Art Unit: 1626
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Filed: April 14, 2006	:	Examiner: Loewe, Sun Jae Y.
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated February 25, 2010, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 60, 65, 84, 87 and 90.

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